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Nanna K. Soni *et al.*

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Application No.: 09/925,635

Art Unit: 1648

Filed: August 9, 2001

Examiner: Shanon A. Foley

For: NOVEL PARENTERAL VACCINE  
FORMULATIONS AND USES THEREOF

**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 13, 2004, please enter the amendment set forth below and consider the remarks which follow. A Notice of Appeal and a Petition for Extension of Time for a period of three (3) months from March 13, 2005 to and including June 13, 2005 are being filed concurrently herewith. Accordingly, this amendment is being timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Invention: NOVEL PARENTERAL VACCINE FORMULATIONS AND USES THEREOF

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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